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**DISC-010** 

| SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF                     |             |
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| PLAINTIFF (Name):   | CASE NUMBER |
| DEFENDANT (Name):   |             |
| CASE QUESTIONNAIRE—FOR LIMITED CIVIL CASES (Under \$25,000) |             |
| REQUESTING PARTY (Name):                                    |             |
| RESPONDING PARTY (Name):                                    |             |

#### -INSTRUCTIONS-

A. The purpose of the case questionnaire is to help the parties settle their differences without spending a lot of money. This is accomplished by exchanging information about the case early in the lawsuit. The exchange of case questionnaires may be started only by a plaintiff (or cross-complainant) in a limited civil case. The case questionnaire is optional, and if plaintiff (or cross-complainant) exercises the option, only this form may be used.

#### B. Instructions for plaintiffs (and cross-complainants)

- 1. Under Code of Civil Procedure section 93, a plaintiff (or cross-complainant) may serve a completed case questionnaire and a blank questionnaire with a complaint (or cross-complaint).
- 2. This is the only way you can require defendants (or cross-defendants) to serve you with a completed case questionnaire.

#### C. Instructions for defendants (and cross-defendants)

- 1. If you have been served with a completed case questionnaire by a plaintiff (or cross-complainant), then you must fill in the blank case questionnaire. Your completed case questionnaire must be served on that same plaintiff (or cross-complainant) with your answer to the complaint (or cross-complaint).
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### D. Instructions for all parties

- 1. ALL QUESTIONS REFER TO THE INCIDENT OR AGREEMENT IN THIS LAWSUIT ONLY.
- 2. Answer each question. If a question is not applicable, answer "NA."
- 3. Your answers are not limited to your personal knowledge, but you are required to furnish information available to you or to anyone acting on your behalf, whether you are a plaintiff, defendant, cross-complainant, or cross-defendant.
- 4. Type or legibly print your answer below each question. If you cannot completely answer a question in the space provided on the case questionnaire, check the "attachment" box and put the number of the question and the complete answer on an attached sheet of paper or form MC-025. You should *not* put part of an answer on the case questionnaire and part on the attachment. You may put more than one answer on each attached page.
- 5. When you have completed the case questionnaire, sign the verification and serve the original.
- 6. You may compel compliance with these requirements under Code of Civil Procedure section 93.
- 7. DO NOT FILE THIS CASE QUESTIONNAIRE WITH THE COURT.

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| PLAINTIFF (Name):  | CASE NUMBER:                                    |
| DEFENDANT (Name):  |   |
| —QUESTIONS—  |   |
| 1. FOR ALL CASES   |   |
| a. State your name and street address.   |   |
| b. State your current business name and street address, the type of business entity,   | and your title.                                 |
| c. Describe in detail your claims or defenses and the facts on which they are based, g   | giving relevant dates.                          |
| <ul> <li>d. State the name, street address, and telephone number of each person who has kr specify his or her area of knowledge.</li> <li>See attachment for answer number 1d.</li> </ul>                            | nowledge of facts relating to this lawsuit, and |
| e. Describe each document or photograph that relates to the issues or facts. You are each that you have described but not attached, state the name, street address, an has it.  See attachment for answer number 1e. |   |

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See attachment for answer number 2d.

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